

Thick Fog Paralyzes Newport Fishing Fleet

Weather Forecast

Fair tonight and Sunday; continued moderate temperature; light wind from the interior, northerly on coast.

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SKINNY KRIBBLES



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With
C. F.
(Skinny)
SKIRVIN

"Daddy" Travis, the patriarch of No. 794, B. P. O. E., optimistically looks forward to his next birthday, and says "you want to be there." Meaning that the event will be celebrated along about April 18. By that time "Daddy" will be 95, and still going strong, I hope. Every anniversary a delegation from the club calls on this member who is making a strong bid for the century mark. Guess I'll go next time to catch on to his longevity system. Might want to hang around that long myself.

The swing toward Santa Claus is increasing. Week hence it will have reached the distributing point.

"Things I have missed," writes Jimmy Watkins from Cardiff, England. "Chesterfields, Pabst, chili beans. The Journal, Eastside, Jack Benny, hot dogs, Skinny's Column, car and sunshine." And on the asset side: "A new son-in-law, new friends; that's no place like Orange county, Balboa in particular." However, the trip is drawing to a close, and Jimmy will sail for New York December 31. He and Mrs. Watkins have been visiting in England for the past several months.

So far Santa Claus has not asked me what I want for Christmas, and for fear the inquiry is not made, I want to tell Santa Claus now that I'll take anything he decides to give me. I have lived too long to be particular. Started with a knit sock in which some peanuts, mixed candy and an apple were packed, and I've just about got back to where I started.

John Miller gives me a Smart & Final calendar, and says: "Now, if you starve to death it's your own fault." That fellow is a real philanthropist. The company sells everything, almost-fruits, groceries, vegetables, and nuts. Everything but 'Horse Feathers.'

The by-product business has almost reached the point of perfection. Packers finally saved everything from the slaughter of a hog but the squeal, and that was not entirely lost as you could hear the customer whine when he bought pork. Commercializing of citrus fruit peel is now going on in the lower Rio Grande valley. Large quantities are now being converted into meal for livestock.

Oh, boy, a seven dollar over-parking ticket takes a lot of joy out of Christmas. This experience is related to me by the fellow who was pinched.

Wouldn't even venture a guess to where he was from, but it didn't make any difference to him. He backed off Third street into the busy traffic onto Main, and got away with it, but he held up the traffic while doing so.

A booth has been conveniently located at Fourth and Main where you can purchase Christmas seals, provided you have not already done so through the regular channels, or care to increase your investment. Christmas seals go to fight the tubercular plague. You

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One Potato Only Food of Family As Father Dies

WENATCHEE, Wash. (AP)—A World War veteran fought his last battle and died to bring help to his wife and four children separated from starvation by only a single potato.

Ernest Johnson, 46-year-old veteran of four major World War battles, hiked 40 miles from his undeveloped ranch in the rugged hills around Lake Wenatchee to appeal for aid for his family. It took him 48 hours to make the hike. The strain was too much for his emaciated body and he died from a heart attack a half hour after he made his appeal yesterday.

Sheriff Tom Cannon went to the Johnson ranch and brought the family, including a 17-months-old baby to Wenatchee. He said the family had existed on potato soup for the last week and only a single potato remained when he arrived at the ranch. They were fed by Cannon at the county jail.

A military funeral will be given Johnson whose papers showed he came from Michigan two years ago. He enlisted in the army at Scranton, Pa., in 1914 and was honorably discharged in 1920.

But the animals thrashed the underbrush, cut furrows in the ground with their hooves and twisted their entangled heads, all the while trying to deliver the death thrust.

Farmer Admits Killing Child

KNOX, Ind. (AP)—Ernest Smith, a farmer, pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the fatal beating of his seven-year-old niece, Katherine Smith, and was sentenced last night to two to 21 years in prison. The child, who died Nov. 4, was the daughter of Smith's brother, William Smith of Flint, Mich.

State Policeman W. S. Huddleston and Delvin Masterson said Smith admitted he beat the child because she was "mean and sickly."

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GRAND JURY SEEKS UNION AGENT

House Rebels Kill Bill

QUIZ OPENS INTO LABOR WAR BEATING

Teamsters' Official
Fails to Testify

R. G. "Tiny" Mullendore, husky business agent for the teamsters' union, was sought today for testimony before the county grand jury as the inquisitors opened an investigation of the labor-war beating of Willard Lake, Santa Ana trucking contractor.

Mullendore, courthouse reports had it, was sought as a witness yesterday afternoon when the jury suddenly switched from frozen oranges to the labor scuffle as a subject for inquiry. He was not located, and was reported out of the city today.

JONES TESTIFIES

T. H. Jones, secretary-treasurer of the teamsters, located and testified for a short time before the jury about circumstances surrounding the beating of Lake Dec. 10.

He still maintained, it was reported, that he does not know the name of the burly man who, Lake says, slugged him during an alteration over alleged threats against the contractor.

WARRANT OUT

A "John Doe" warrant, charging assault and battery, still is out for Lake's assailant, who assertedly knocked the contractor to the ground and then threw him to the ground again as he arose.

Labor forces and the Citizens association already have deprecated any suggestion of "beef squads" in the Orange county labor picture, and union officials have disclaimed responsibility for the attack on Lake.

STRANGER ACCUSED

Lake was slugged, he told Deputy Dist. Attorney Warren Schutz, when he went to the teamsters' union office after his son assertedly had been told to "join the union or else." He was cut about the face and head when the unidentified man knocked him to the ground.

Lake was talking, he said, with Jones and Mullendore when the stranger walked up. Union officials have said the stranger told them he was a teamster from out of the county.

Rebel Leader Shot In Mexico Fighting

GUADALAJARA, Mexico. (AP)—With the killing of Rebel Leader Felix Cruz, federal troops today were in possession of important documents which may disclose the identity of persons aiding the rebellion against the government in the state of Jalisco.

Cruz was killed in a gun battle with government forces near La Tuna. Documents seized from the rebel leader were being investigated by the military headquarters here.

ST. NICK RE-APPOINTED
WASHINGTON. (AP)—Oscar L. Phillips, who plays the role of Saint Nick at Santa Claus, Ind., every Christmas, got a present himself—today from Postmaster General Farley. He was appointed postmaster of Santa Claus for another four years. Few letters are mailed at Santa Claus during 11 months of the year but each December Phillips dispatches between \$40,000 and \$50,000 worth of mail.

Stewed Pigeons
Lead Feds to
Hidden Still

LYNDHURST, N. J. (AP)—Federal agents solved the mystery of the stewed pigeons.

Five of the birds staggered and burped around their cage on the roof of a garage as the agents watched from behind a fence.

Finally the agents raided a 700-gallon still with an 18-foot smokestack protruding through the roof near the cote which was built around the chimney to camouflage it.

Now that the alcoholic fumes have stopped going up the chimney, the pigeons are expected to become teetotalers.

"But think of the hangovers they'll have," a solicitous agent remarked.

Bride Tonight



VIIRGINIA BRUCE

U. S. SENDS 2ND PROTEST TO JAPAN

Machine-Gunning Is Charged in Note

By the Associated Press
Japan's foreign office disclosed today that the United States had made further representations against the Japanese air attack which sank the U. S. gunboat Panay and destroyed three American river steamers on the Yangtze last Sunday.

The new note, delivered by Ambassador Joseph C. Grew, was understood to protest strongly against reported machine-gunning of Panay survivors and boarding of the sinking gunboat by Japanese troops.

In Shanghai an American naval board of inquiry was assembling further facts about the attack from survivors brought down the Yangtze on the gunboat Oahu yesterday. The Japanese likewise were investigating.

Japanese authorities denied machine gun attacks were made on Panay survivors. Four lives were lost.

Informed sources said Vice Admiral Kiyoshi Hasegawa, commanding Japanese naval forces in the Chinese war, had assumed "full responsibility" for the Panay attack. It was said he had offered to resign.

Japanese pressed their campaign to smash Chinese resistance. Japanese troops were driving steadily inland from captured Nanking.

EMPEROR PROBES PANAY BOMBING

TOKYO. (AP)—Emperor Hirohito tonight received a detailed report on the sinking of the United States gunboat Panay from Premier Prince Fumimaro Konoye.

The sovereign received the premier in audience at the palace following an extraordinary session of the cabinet.

Although the gist of President Roosevelt's memorandum on the bombing of the Panay by Japanese warplanes previously had been communicated to the emperor, according to a member of the government, Konoye's was understood to be the first detailed account of the affair laid before the throne.

News of the premier's action, an unusual step in the Japanese system, lent weight to reports that some expression concerning the

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CONVICT GETS ADDED 'RAP'

James A. Orr, San Quentin convict, won't be free even when he is granted a new trial on a Los Angeles county conviction.

He will serve another term, one to 14 years, for six felony counts charged against him here two years ago. Sentence was passed yesterday afternoon by Presiding Superior Judge James L. Allen when the returned prisoner pleaded guilty to charges of burglary, bad checks and forgery. The sentence will follow Orr's present term, but terms on the six counts will run concurrently, Judge Allen specified.

SEEN SETTLEMENT

The house passed a much different farm bill last week, and both measures now must go to a conference committee for adjustment of the points of variance. Indications were a settlement would not be worked out until early in January.

Administration chieftains, hopeful of salvaging another item on the President's program, called

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CRASH KILLS 6 GUARDSMEN

LODGE. (AP)—Death wiped out a party of six young Guardsmen in a terrific automobile crash two miles east of here early today.

The dead, who shortly before the accident had attended a Christmas party of their artillery company at the armory in Stockton, were: John D. Plumb, 27, David A. Connard, 21, Joseph N. Green, 20, Raymond Meador, 21, and Anton DeBrey, 29, all of Stockton, and Gail Borden Lewallen, 22, of Isleton.

Their automobile, apparently driven by Plumb, crashed into a tree after skidding from State Highway No. 17 with such force that it broke the machine completely in two.

WPA Districts Consolidated

Orange and San Diego counties will be added next Monday to the jurisdiction of Lieut. Col. Donald Connally, federal WPA director, who already has charge of Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Riverside, Imperial and San Bernardino counties.

George White, WPA director for the two new counties, will be succeeded by three others to attack Goodyear piece-work employees who they thought worked too fast. Milo C. Adler, one of the attack victims, told Moseley he slashed one of his assailants with a pocket knife. Other rubber workers who were beaten were William Ormiston and Ray C. Burger, Moseley said.

Police said the doctor failed to report treatment of a stab wound inflicted on a rubber worker.

Moseley said two of the prisoners were hired by three others to attack Goodyear piece-work employees who they thought worked too fast. Milo C. Adler, one of the attack victims, told Moseley he slashed one of his assailants with a pocket knife. Other rubber workers who were beaten were William Ormiston and Ray C. Burger, Moseley said.

The United States weather bureau saw no danger of a flood of such proportions as swept Pittsburgh's "Golden Triangle" in 1936.

Rain falling for 60 hours, and melting snow, fed streams over the watersheds of the Allegheny and Monongahela rivers, bringing a prediction of a 27-foot crest at Pittsburgh, two over flood stage.

The level at "The Point," where the two rivers meet to form the Ohio, was 22 feet at 11 a. m., and rising three-tenths of a foot an hour.

Tree Sparkles In Death's Shadow

A modest little Christmas tree stands, bravely gay with tinsel and stars, in a hushed Santa Ana home today.

Six little girls spent their Christmas money to buy the tree and a big box full of decorations. It was a present for 15-year-old Virginia Watkins.

Virginia had been sick for a long time, and might not have had a tree if it weren't for the six little girls, classmates at Julia Lathrop school.

They shopped diligently, and found the best tree on the whole big lot, and then they rummaged through all the city's notion stores in search of just the right bangles

and bright balls—and a star for the top, no doubt.

But Virginia won't need the tree. On the day it was delivered to her door, Virginia died.

Today the Rev. Harry Evans Owsings gave her one last Christmas present, with the age-old words of comfort:

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me."

The gay little tree that was to have brightened the Watkins home brought sadness instead. But Virginia's brother Virgil decorated it anyway, hung the bangles and the stars with reverent hands.

And the message of all the Christmas trees in the world flashed clearer and brighter than ever from its sparkling limbs.

ALCATRAZ PAIR BELIEVED DEAD

SAN FRANCISCO. (AP)—The search for two missing Alcatraz island convicts was renewed on land and water today, but officials reiterated belief the pair drowned in a desperate attempt to flee from the supposedly escape-proof federal prison.

Officers who have searched San Francisco bay and its shores since the two men vanished said they were without the slightest clue as to whereabouts of the prisoners or their bodies.

Shortly after noon Thursday, Ralph Roe, 29, Duncan, Okla., bank robber, and Theodore Cole, 25, Stroud, Okla., kidnaper, disappeared from the grim prison, hidden a mile and a quarter distant, by the winter's worst fog.

Il Duce Fights
Price Raises

ROME. (AP)—Italy was embarked today on a program of more rigid price control to check the rising cost of living.

The central corporative committee, after an exhortation by Premier Benito Mussolini, voted sharp control of the prices of necessities.

Il Duce told the committee, at a special session yesterday, that "economic discipline" to protect the purchasing power of the masses was indispensable to Italy's program for economic self-sufficiency.

WAR PLANE SILENCER INVENTED

MONTEREY. (AP)—An army sergeant's invention, designed to silence the exhaust of airplane and other motors, was exhibited here today and military authorities hailed it as a possible boon to American fighting planes.

The device consists of a "vacuum box" which replaces the conventional exhaust pipe. Longitudinal pipes running under the box are open at each end and also have lateral connections leading into the "vacuum" chamber.

When the motor vehicle is in motion, free air rushing through the longitudinal pipes creates a suction which draws air from the box above, thus causing a degree of vacuum in the chamber. Since a vacuum does not transmit sound, the motor exhaust into the box is effectively muffled.

Army fliers said it might be possible to silence in this manner a fighting plane sufficiently to make detection by an enemy more difficult.

Free Felon Who Foiled Escape

FOLSOM. (AP)—Richard Harrison, Folsom convict who sounded the alarm in the attempted break which brought death to Warden Clarence E. Larkin, is free on parole today.

Harrison, a trusty clerk, was in the office of Captain of Guards William J. Ryan when the convicts entered and seized the warden. He ran from the office and shouted warnings to guards outside.

Prison authorities said Harrison, who was serving a check-forge sentence, had assurance of employment outside the prison. They withheld the place and nature of the employment.

Luck Saves Miner; Partner Killed

SAN BERNARDINO. (AP)—The body of Ralph B. Shaw, 48, mining prospector, was recovered early today from a cave-in mine shaft 45 miles north of here.

Shaw and Earl Robinette of Torrance, Calif., were peering down the 60-foot deep shaft when the wooden covering collapsed, throwing both men into the hole.

Robinette, however, clutched a section of the pumping apparatus near the top of the shaft and was rescued. Shaw fell to the bottom of the shaft and was covered by earth when the walls of the shaft caved in.

Wins 4-H Club Tall Contest

LOS ANGELES. (AP)—Leslie Standee, Chaffey High school student, will represent California, for the fifth time, in the national speaking contests of the Future Farmers of America.

Standee won the state again yesterday. He will enter the western states championship contest in Colorado next spring. The winner of the regional competition will go to Kansas City next fall for the national tourney.

SKINNY SKRIBBLES

(Continued from Page 1) can help eradicate or reduce this enemy of mankind by buying seals. If your purchase goes to rehabilitate some afflicted child your Christmas will be happier. There is more than one way to do your Christmas shopping.

Somehow or other I have absorbed from my reading, that in Orange county we have the Dale Democrats, the McKinney Democrats, the McCauley Democrats, the Olson Democrats, the Cotton Democrats, and the Republicans think too many Democrats.

It won't be long now before another opportunity will be given you to try your skill at race horse guessing. Santa Anita opens Christmas day. May I suggest that you do your shopping before the races start.

Most service club members are proud of their membership, but when they wear their identification on the street that's just a case of forgetfulness. Met such a lapse yesterday.

Ralph Walbridge is in the city to visit friends and relatives. "Doc" Patton vouched for him, during the introductory period. Now I'm asking for additional credentials on both of 'em. If it wasn't for the Christmas spirit I would take everything for granted, but there isn't any use fooling Santa Claus.

Holmes Bishop, of Orange county, has been recently honored with the presidency of the California Associated Farmers. This organization is a rapidly growing concern, having more than 60,000 members. That of itself implies considerable responsibility, and at the same time involved a discriminating selection. Holmes Bishop brings to the office years of practical farm experience. His education in agriculture was not acquired by curb conversation. It came from practical investigation, and personal labor. From that experience he became familiar with the complicated problems of the farmer. He is one of the best informed agrarians in California, and brings to the office not only the technical skill but the courage to face the economic battles which his organization is being called upon to meet.

In Children's Hotel



It's a grand hotel where this boy and his dog are guests. In London the former mansion of the late William Graham has been turned into a hostelry catering exclusively to children of wealthy parents who may leave them for an hour or several days.

YOUTH GETTING SKEPTICAL

Kindergarteners Suspicious

By GEORGE COVERDALE

An abundance of live Santa Clauses along business district streets and in department stores of Santa Ana is creating wonderment and suspicion in the minds of some local 5-year-olds.

This was indicated yesterday in an interview with kindergarteners at the Spurgeon Grammar school. Warren Huff, one of the pupils there, flatly inquired "How many Santa Clauses are there?" and "How can there be so many of them?"

Warren has seen several living St. Nicks and additional ones in other cities and he is beginning to suspect Santa is not only a spirit, a man with whiskers and a jolly old fellow, but likewise he must have a good many brothers running around loose.

Melvin Matthys has done some investigating into this Santa Claus activity and makes the startling observation that Santa Claus is present wherever Warren is, watching every move he makes. So Warren is going to be a good boy.

\$10,000 Bequest To Dog Contested

Convict Miners In Bomb Case

SAN DIEGO. (AP)—The \$10,000 inheritance of Teddy, a mongrel dog, was at stake today in a court contest of the will of the late Mrs. Hattie Fletcher, taken under submission by Superior Judge L. N. Turrentine.

The contest, brought by other heirs of Mrs. Fletcher, was involved yesterday by a communication from O. S. Legg of Porterville, Calif., which said he thought the dog might be the one he lost while living in San Diego in 1934.

Mrs. Fletcher, who willed the \$10,000 for the dog's "care and comfort," adopted him three years ago after he was picked up on the streets as a stray and taken to the city pound.

Frank Will Accept G. O. P. Post

CHICAGO. (AP)—Dr. Glenn Frank's selection as chairman of the Republican policy committee aroused speculation today on his future role in party affairs.

If he accepts the position he will mark his first active participation in national politics. After a conference with Chairman John D. M. Hamilton yesterday he said he would take the post if he were able to arrange personal and business affairs.

Probe Newsprint Price Raises

WASHINGTON. (AP)—Senator Pope (D., Idaho) appealed today to Atty. Gen. Cummings to give his "earliest consideration" to reports that "monopolistic practices" were skyrocketing the price of newsprint paper.

"Newspaper publishers and magazine distributors are genuinely alarmed," he wrote.

Idaho added, advised him the price charged for his paper was higher than could be reasonably justified or accounted for unless it is subject to monopolistic practices."

PARTY VISITS DAM

Col. S. G. Finley of Santa Ana and the Metropolitan Water district were hosts today to a group of local men on a tour of Parker dam and the MWD aqueduct.

The party included T. E. Stephenson, J. C. Lamb, L. H. Eckel and Wylie Carlisle.

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HOUSE KILLS WAGE BILL

(Continued from Page 1) the house into session today to debate legislation designed to stimulate home construction. The Senate recessed for the weekend.

Defeat of the house leadership's attempt to get the wage-hour bill approved left the future of the legislation shrouded in uncertainty.

WASHINGTON. (AP)—Here are the farmers exempted from controls in the senate "ever-normal granary" bill:

Wheat farmers with an average production of less than 100 bushels for market.

Corn farmers with an average production of less than 300 bushels for market.

Cotton farmers with an average of less than seven and one-half acres production, except that those under his are limited to the highest average of these years.

Tobacco farmers marketing less than 3200 pounds of flue cured and 2400 pounds of other types of tobacco, except that if their average production is below these totals, the limit will be the highest production of the three previous years.

Cotton farmers growing cotton 1½ inches in staple length or longer.

All farmers producing crops solely for seed.

Dairy farmers are exempted from corn restrictions on "northern corn fed as ensilage."

The term "for market" under wheat and corn includes grain fed to livestock which is marketed later, but excludes that consumed in the home or on the farm.

STEIN WINS PHOTO HONOR

Ivie Stein, who won an award for his photograph, "Moonlight on Newport Bay," in the recent Newport harbor photograph contest, learned today that his picture has been selected from entries of 25 countries to appear in the Los Angeles museum during January.

Competing with 1451 other photographers, Stein's beautiful moonlight scene was given high rating, and will be eligible for prize awards among the 360 selected prints.

The pictures will be on display during the entire month of January at the 21st annual salon of pictorial photography.

Strip Teaser Asks Divorce

BOSTON. (AP)—Ann Corio, top-ranking exponent of burlesque's "strip-tease" art, says she is planning to divorce her husband, Emmet Callahan, an executive of the burlesque chain which headlines the famous Ann.

An interview, the Hartford, Conn., star admitted last night she would seek to divorce Callahan "some time after New Year's day."

Asked where she would bring suit, she declined a direct answer, but indicated she would go to Reno. And she would not deny that she planned a new matrimonial venture.

Accounting in \$100,000 Estate

One of the largest certified copy orders of the year was being filled today in the county clerk's office.

Fifty certified copies of a decree of settlement of final account and distribution were being prepared in the \$100,000 Bernice B. Waynick estate for Rutan, Mize and Kroese, attorneys for the executors in the estate. The copies, mimeographed, will cost the law firm \$25.

TRY TO KEEP SHIPS

LOS ANGELES. (AP)—Opposition to the transfer of Grace and Panama-Pacific line ships from intercoastal to South American service will be made at the nation's capital by a committee chosen by some 30 west coast business leaders.

C. C. McCauley, manager of the San Diego Chamber of Commerce, said the delegation must impress upon congress "the necessity of granting subsidies so these lines may remain here to be pressed into service in case of war."

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U. S. SENDS 2ND PANAY PROTEST

(Continued from Page 1) Panay affair might come from the

Informed sources said a struggle over Japan's amends was going on between the fighting services and civilian members of the government.

The army and navy were said to measure already taken to obtain an apology, offer of indemnities and recall of Rear Admiral Teizo Mutsuami, chief of the naval air force in Shanghai.

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F. D. R. GRATIFIED BY U. S. REACTION

WASHINGTON. (AP)—White House aides represented President Roosevelt today as being gratified at the calmness with which the country and the press as a whole have reacted to the bombing of the Panay.

Foreign Minister Koki Hirota

was said to be waging a battle, with little support, to obtain further concessions.

Hirota presented a report on

the Panay sinking and American reaction to tonight's cabinet session, which lasted two hours.

The ministers were understood to be worried by what he told them.

RIVERSIDE

RIVERSIDE. (AP)—Farmers of

five Southern California counties

were on record today as deter-

mined to see that their products

are delivered to the Los Angeles

metropolitan area.

As a reply to efforts of the

teamsters' union to establish a

closed shop among truck drivers

carrying farm produce, the farm-

ers, meeting here yesterday, adopt-

ed a resolution which read, in

part:

"We will exert all our power to

prevent accomplishment of that

purpose and to defend our own

right to freedom of the high-

ways . . ."

OFFER ATTACK FILMS FOR INVESTIGATION

NEW YORK. (AP)—Charles E.

Ford, managing director of Uni-

versal News Reel, announced to-

day prints of films made by Cam-

erman Norman Alley during the

bombing of the United States gun-

boat Panay would be made avail-

able to the White House and the

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Weather

(Courtesy Knox and Stout)

Today
High, 56 degrees at 11 a. m.; low, 46

degrees at 7:30 a. m.

High, 67 degrees at 2:30 p. m.; low, 45 degrees at 7 a. m.

WEATHER DATA
(Courtesy of Junior College)

Tom Hudspeth, Observer

Dec. 18, 4 p. m.

Barometer, 30.14.

Relative humidity, 60 per cent.

Dewpoint, 57 degrees F.

Wind, 3 m. p. h.; direction, west; prevailing direction last 24 hours, west.

FORECAST ELSEWHERE

SAN FRANCISCO BAY REGION—

Fair and mild tonight and Sunday with light winds; high, 60 degrees; low, 48.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA—Fair to night and Sunday with local morning fog; no change in temperature; light winds to 10 m. p. h. coming in.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—Fair to night and Sunday with local morning fog; little change in temperature; light variable wind.

TEMPERATURES ELSEWHERE

LOS ANGELES. (P)—Temperatures taken at 4:30 a. m. Pacific time, today and past 24-hour high and low were given out by the U. S. Weather bureau as follows:

	4:30 High Low
Boston	40 36
Chicago	40 36
Cleveland	34 36
Denver	40 32
Des Moines	28 36
Detroit	34 32
Helena	24 22
Kansas City	28 40
Los Angeles	54 71
Memphis	36 60
Minneapolis	24 42
New Orleans	50 62
New York	54 54
Omaha	22 44
Phoenix	38 54
Pittsburgh	38 54
St. Louis	30 32
Salt Lake City	42 44
San Francisco	22 40
Seattle	46 56
Tampa	68 80

Vital Records**Birth Notices**

WORLEY—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Worley, 203 Second street, La Habra Dec. 18 in Orange county, a son.

BRAEBC—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Braeb, 4301 Jacaranda street, Fullerton, a son, in Orange county hospital.

Intentions to Wed

Eugene Ross Bougher, 29, Doris Eugene, 21, Los Angeles.

Frank Castillo, 26, Stela Valencia, 25.

Whittier.

Julius Waldo Garrett, 32, Elizabeth Venita Nausha, 23, Los Angeles.

Emory David Gaskill, 25, Bell, Eunice Jerry Souza, 25, Maywood.

Henry Milton Hopkins, Jr., 20; Leila Goss, 19, 32, Shawnee, Okla.

Emil House, 55, Rose Anna Harwood, 44, Los Angeles.

Arthur C. Jameson, 29; Ruby Campbell, 21, Los Angeles.

William Zurlo Rogers, 62; Flora J. McCoy, 61, Arcadia.

Kenneth Purcell Stockton, 38; Hazel Muriel Johnson, 30, Pasadena.

Charlie Serna, 21; Angela Rosas, 18, Los Angeles.

Cenobio Uribe, 37; Pico; Cecilia Hernandez, 19, Los Angeles.

William Vornberger, 54; Anna C. Clark, 56, South Gate.

David M. Wortham, 23; Frances Estella Robinson, 18, Long Beach.

Marriage Licenses

Roger Fred Berdeman, 29, 708½ Ocean avenue, Huntington Beach; Louise Hazel Reed, 22, 327 Normandy place, Santa Ana.

Eugene Edward Drake, 23, West Fifth street, Garden Grove; Elizabeth Esther Elsmore, 21, 25 Bell; Eunice Jerry Souza, 25, Maywood.

Henry Milton Hopkins, Jr., 20; Leila Goss, 19, 32, Shawnee, Okla.

Emil House, 55, Rose Anna Harwood, 44, Los Angeles.

Arthur C. Jameson, 29; Ruby Campbell, 21, Los Angeles.

William Zurlo Rogers, 62; Flora J. McCoy, 61, Arcadia.

Kenneth Purcell Stockton, 38; Hazel Muriel Johnson, 30, Pasadena.

Charlie Serna, 21; Angela Rosas, 18, Los Angeles.

Cenobio Uribe, 37; Pico; Cecilia Hernandez, 19, Los Angeles.

William Vornberger, 54; Anna C. Clark, 56, South Gate.

David M. Wortham, 23; Frances Estella Robinson, 18, Long Beach.

Death Notices

RAMSEY—George M. Ramsey, 70, of 1666 Elm street, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Santa Ana. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Leila J. Ramsey; three daughters, Miss Verna M. Ramsey of Santa Ana, Miss Eva M. Ramsey of Artesia, and Mrs. F. D. Duncan of Luis Obispo; one brother, Nathan Ramsey of Cedarville, O.; and two nieces, Miss Martha J. Ramsey of Los Angeles and Mrs. N. S. Johnston of Santa Ana. Funeral services will be held from the Winbigler mortuary chapel at 2 p. m. Monday, with the Rev. George E. Warner, former pastor of the local First Methodist church officiating. Interment in Fairhaven cemetery.

LINKER—Esther Jean Linker, four months old, died at the hands of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Linker of Tustin. Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. Monday, from the Smith and Tustin church, with the Rev. C. R. Duncan of Tustin officiating. Interment in Fairhaven cemetery.

Funeral Notice

Services were held at 11 a. m. today for Margaret J. Miranda, 21, who died Dec. 15 at the hands of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Linker of Tustin. Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. Monday, from the Smith and Tustin church, with the Rev. C. R. Duncan of Tustin officiating. Interment in Fairhaven cemetery.

DRUNK CHARGE

Elmer C. Jackson, 34, Glendale, was arrested on Fifth and Sycamore streets yesterday on a drunk driving charge.

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**WOMAN TELLS
HOW TO FIX
HOUSE VALUES**

How much is your house worth? If you don't know, you might get a rough idea by following a thumb nail rule for snap evaluations recommended to the Santa Ana realty board yesterday by Mrs. Lottie Crawford of San Diego, only woman member of the national institute of appraisers.

Here's her "sales" multiple:

If the house is in a static rental district, where there is no indication of sudden increases in values, its value will be about 80 times the monthly rent.

It's in a partly home-owned

district where values are increasing slightly, the value is 100 times the monthly rent.

And if it's in an entirely home-owned district, with well-distributed vacant lots where values are sure to increase, the value is about 125 times the monthly rental.

That would make a house that rents for \$40 a month worth \$3200, \$4000 or 5000, depending on its location, she told the realtors in a talk at the board's weekly luncheon in the Rossmore cafe.

The "thumb nail" rule of appraisal is not infallible, she stressed, but it gives a good check on more scientific figures.

She cited three approaches that should be made to correct appraisal as including a comparison of the sales prices of surrounding property, a measure of all factors establishing value, and an estimate of the capitalization, or gross and net income on the property.

Overimprovement, underimprovement and misplaced improvement, Mrs. Crawford said, are the three principal causes of depreciation in capitalization.

QUESTIONS

(From the newspaper University, Reg. U. S. Pat. by Philip H. Bachrach.)

COLLEGE**CURRENT EVENTS—First Year**

1—What Chinese general deserves great credit for the valiant defense of Shanghai?

GEOGRAPHY—Second Year

2—What is the Giant's Causeway, and where is it?

ASTRONOMY—Third Year

3—What are the main divisions of astronomy?

THEOLOGY—Fourth Year

4—What is the Greek word for HIGH SCHOOL

ZOOLOGY—First Year

5—What is a carnivorous animal?

HISTORY—Second Year

6—Where was the Liberty Bell made?

LITERATURE—Third Year

7—In what languages did Dante write?

GEOMETRY—Fourth Year

8—What is the lateral area of a cylinder equal to?

ELEMENTARY—**ENGLISH—First Grade**

9—What word has the same meaning as huge?

ARITHMETIC—Third Grade

10—If Tom saves 9 cents a day for one week, how much money has he?

HISTORY—Fifth Grade

11—In what state is the Alamo?

GEOGRAPHY—Seventh Grade

12—In what part of America do the Apache Indians live?

Answers on Classified Page

RED CROSS BROADCAST

Radio dial of local Red Cross workers will be turned to an NBC station Monday morning. Ocean service will be the broadcast from San Francisco of a program, "Christmas the Year Round with the Red Cross," by R. E. Gillette, director of the Junior Red Cross, Pacific branch. Hours of the broadcast will be 9:30 to 10 a. m. It will go on the air over KECA, Los Angeles, and KFSD, San Diego.

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NEWS OF ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITIES

OPEN COAST YULE LIGHT FETE TONIGHT

All Beach Cities to Take Part in Program

NEWPORT - BALBOA.—Orange county's coastline will glitter with lights tonight, as the tenth annual "40 Miles of Christmas Smiles" program, sponsored by the Coast association, officially opens.

At 7 o'clock this evening, official opening time for the annual Christmas lighting program, lights will be turned on in 10 coastline cities entered in the race for best decorated communities along the coast. Taking part will be Seal Beach, Sunset Beach, Huntington Beach, Newport-Balboa, which will include West Newport, Balboa Island and Corona Del Mar; Laguna Beach, Dana Point, San Juan Capistrano, Doheny Park and San Clemente.

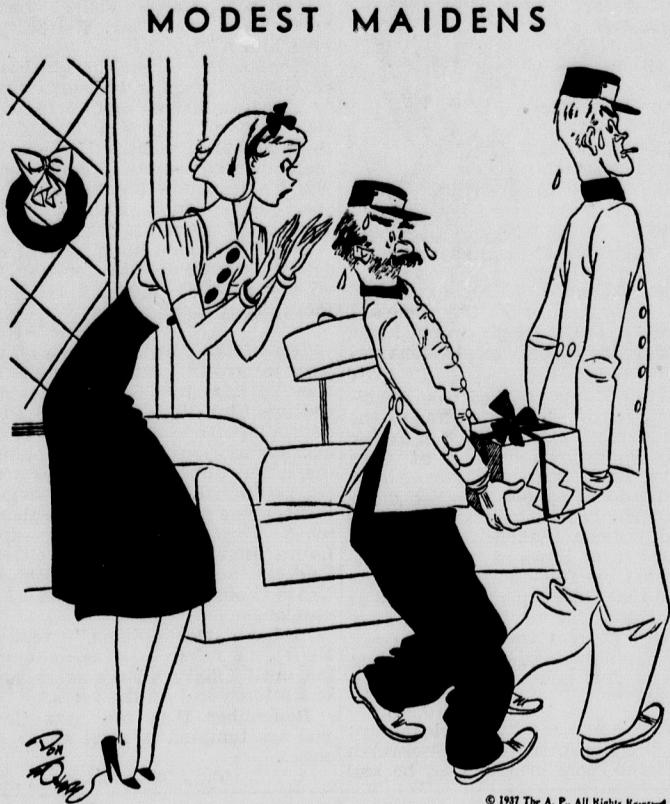
In addition to ambitious civic lighting projects, almost every city has constructed shrines along the highway as part of their lighting projects.

Owing to the illness of Dr. C. C. Huston, head of the lighting program, President Leslie R. Kimmel has asked Elmer J. Hughes, mayor of Seal Beach, to take charge of the judging. A meeting of the judges has been called for the Travel Inn in San Clemente at 5 o'clock Thursday and the judging will be started immediately following the dinner.

There are four teams of two each to serve on the board of judges. Mayor Fred C. Rowland and E. H. Layton, city councilman, of Santa Ana are the team to judge the best decorated and illuminated community. Two representatives of the Long Beach Boulevard association will judge the shrines and organization Christmas trees. Ray Baldwin and K. P. Frederick of Long Beach will pass upon the best illuminated and decorated business places and homes and C. D. Lindsay and W. N. Holmes of Santa Ana will award the prize for the best illuminated and decorated outside Christmas trees.

President Kimmel and Secretary Harry Welch of the Coast association will assist the judges in covering the coast communities from San Clemente to Seal Beach. Representatives in each community will be on hand to greet and escort the coast judges on arrival at each center and point out the best local examples in each class.

Growing in importance every



"Be careful! That's a fruit cake I baked for my boy friend."

GROVE CHOIR PLANS CANTATA

GARDEN GROVE.—The Christmas cantata, "The Glory of Bethlehem," is to be presented by the choir of the First Methodist church at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening, under direction of I. F. German. The program will include "Yuletide Memories," directed by Miss Louise G. Chapman, with Miss Frances B. Francis as accompanist.

The program included numbers by the school orchestra; hymn by the girls' glee club; solos by Carl Senn and Mary Louise Ryan; solos by Kenneth Laing, Marston Blair and Y. J. Johnson, with the boys' glee club, and a Christmas medley by a brass sextet.

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CROWD AT BREA YULE PROGRAM

BREA.—The auditorium of the Brea-Olinda High school was filled to capacity last night for presentation of the Christmas program offered by the school.

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TOWNSEND NEWS, VIEWS

By WALTER R. ROBB

Here's some great news! Roy J. Webb, Townsend national representative, resident of Riverside county and former 19th district manager, is coming home for the holidays. Coming with him is National Townsend Headquarters Manager E. J. Speak, who will appear with National Representative Webb as speaker at a big homecoming welcome meeting being staged by the Riverside county Townsends in honor of Mr. Webb's return. The meeting will occur Thursday evening, Dec. 23, at 7:30 o'clock in the Lincoln school on Lime street in Riverside between Fifth and Sixth streets. The 19th district Townsends as a whole are great admirers of Webb, and this column predicts that a host of them will go from both Orange and San Bernardino counties to join in the welcome which will be extended to both speakers. The writer is indebted to Dr. C. S. Harper of Riverside, 19th district board member, for this bit of news.

The Townsend Hall Administration board of Santa Ana met in special called business session in the hall on West Fourth street last Wednesday evening. The purpose of the meeting was to allow the old board which has served during the last six months of 1937 to wind up some unfinished business in preparation for turning over to the newly elected board the responsibilities of maintaining the hall for the next six months. Grant Henderson, president, called the meeting to order and directed the winding up of matters unfinished. Afterwards, Henderson was elected temporary chairman of the unorganized new board.

When the roll was called it was discovered that the following persons were present as members of the new board: H. N. Buck and F. L. Austin of Club 1; E. F. Millard and L. C. Carlisle of Club 2; Mrs. Ella Hendershot and Phillip Doolittle of Club 3; C. E. Baisley and T. F. Cruzan of Club 5; Mrs. Ida Lee and Mrs. Minnie Hogue of Club 6; F. P. Bentheim of Club 7; W. J. Pickering and J. C. Best of Club 8; R. E. Marks and W. D. Anderson of Club 10; Grant Henderson and Frank E. Philbrook of Club 11, and B. F. Privett of Club 12. George W. Lounsbury of Club 7 and W. J. Plancheon of Club 12 were not present, but will be members of the new board. Clubs 4 and 9 had no representatives present, but will be members of the new board. Clubs Nos. 4 and 9 had no representatives present and so it was not learned who the repre-

PORT REALTORS PLAN ELECTION

NEWPORT-BALBOA.—President A. J. Twist of the Newport Harbor Realty board has called the annual meeting of that body for next Wednesday at the Newport Harbor Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year.

Holding office at the present time are A. J. Twist, president, Paul A. Palmer, first vice-president; state director, Harry H. Williamson; secretary - treasurer, Harry Welch. Four major committees are included in the realty boards organization and these groups are headed by L. W. Briggs on appraisals; membership, Paul A. Palmer; planning, Hal Will Smith, and finance, A. J. Twist.

The meeting next week will follow the annual party of the Newport Harbor Service club which will be held at noon at Will's sons cafe.

Children Decorate Church Tree

HUNTINGTON BEACH.—Dr. Fred E. Earel of Santa Ana talked on his trip to the American Legion convention in Paris, showing colored moving pictures of England, France and Germany, at the Rotary club meeting held in the auditorium, and to rehearse carols for their Christmas eve Nativity pageant.

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Shower Honors Betty Masters

WESTMINSTER.—Mrs. Manuel Adamson, Golden West avenue, was hostess recently at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Betty Masters, El Modena, whose approaching marriage to her son, Richard Adamson, has just been announced.

Mrs. Thelma Robinson, Garden Grove, and Edna Masters, El Modena, assisted the hostess. Present were Helen Peckham, Elizamae Hylton, Helen Adamson, Frances Hurd, Mrs. Everette Hylton, Mrs. Virgie Haxton, Mrs. Mona Hudson, Fontella Hudson, Eileen Borgeson, Mrs. J. R. Hylton, and Miss McDonald.

The writer apologizes to Mrs. A. F. Hibbet of Tustin club for having forgotten to write up an advance notice of the luncheon and Christmas carnival held yesterday afternoon and evening in the hall at C and West Main streets. He doesn't know how it slipped his mind, but it did. He is appreciative of the fine work which Mrs. Hibbet is doing as a correspondent with his column and hopes his omission will not discourage her in continuing her good work.

GO TO POMONA

MIDWAY CITY.—Mrs. S. A. Miller, Mrs. N. A. Nelson, Mrs. Fred Foley, Mrs. Maurice Prie, Mrs. R. P. Mairs, and Mrs. Dale Brybrooks were in Pomona Friday as luncheon guests of Mrs. M. E. Mackay.

CONTRACT FOR STATION AWARDED

ORANGE.—Word was received in Orange Friday that the contract for the new Santa Fe depot to be built here has been awarded and that work will begin the first of the month.

D. P. Goodrich, local agent for the railroad, announced that the Lynch Cannon Engineering company, Los Angeles, will build the depot. The old warehouse is partly torn down and as soon as it is completely demolished the work on the new structure will start.

The depot will be of Spanish type modern construction, 182 feet long and 40 feet wide. It will be one story high, and similar to depots at Corona and Upland.

FITZ FETES G. G. FACULTY

GARDEN GROVE.—Superintendent of Schools S. R. Fritz and Mrs. Fritz entertained faculty members of the elementary schools and their escorts at a Yuletide dinner party at Hotel Laguna Wednesday evening. Miss Ruth Fritz assisted her parents.

Miss Lucille Allen and Mrs. Miriam Rich Allen received prizes for monopoly, Miss Helen Knox and Howard Moore, contract awards, and Mr. and Mrs. Cloyes Evans auction trophies.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Emley, Mr. and Mrs. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. B. Cosmer, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cosmer, Dr. and Mrs. Donald Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ralston, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Goddard, Misses Faire Virgin, Helen Knox, Floy McCown, Sue Walker, Helen Wiessman, Estelle Sherman, Mabel Bungardner, Matilda Hill, Marcella Carmichael, Celia Lee Ritter, Marcella Turner, Helen Apperle, Gladys Summerfield, Beth Toland, Lois Durward, Opal Knox, Floyce Haas, Eunice Bragg, Eulalie Head, Dorothy Knapp, Misses Mary Moody, Hazel Fulton, Pauline Merchant, Miriam Rich, Helen Gramlich, Messrs. Walter Lehnhardt and Gerrit Vander Horst.

The Rev. George Quayle, pastor of the church, will give a Christmas talk at 10:30 o'clock on "The Message of the Magi."

In the evening at 7:30 o'clock, members of the choir will present "The Birth of Christ," a cantata and pageant, with William Leedee, musical director, and Mrs. Tucker in charge of the pageant. Leading roles will be taken by Vernon C. Heil, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beem, the Rev. George Quayle, Everett Grym, and Virginia Greenwood.

Others taking part are Mrs. Muriel Hurst, Mary Rae Hurst, John R. Peterson, Margaret Betty Jean and Bonnie Beem, A. E. Hubbard, Ted Case, Verle Cowling, John Tom Tucker, Isabelle Tucker, Norman Donald and George Harding, Shirley Greenwood, Alice Slater, Evelyn Woods, Andrea Gardner, Maxime Bingle, Helen Bergner, Florence Murray, Geraldine Gardner, Harry Letson, Bobbie Letson, Vivian Gothard, Bruce Tanner, Maxine and Dorothy Murphy, Barbara Hunnicutt and Ted Bennett.

A petition to the city council protesting opening of a cocktail lounge here was prepared, and a letter sent to Congressman Harry Sheppard asking that he maintain a stand for peace. It was announced that election of officers will be held at the next meeting which occurs in February, and a nominating committee was named made up of Miss Minnie Neville, Mrs. John Adams and Mrs. Belle Spangler.

Dr. Earel Is Rotary Speaker

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'LIFE OF ZOLA' OPENS SUNDAY

The colorful life of an immortal French novelist reaches the screen for the first time in "The Life of Emile Zola," which opens at the Broadway theater tomorrow with Paul Muni in the starring role. Muni's role is hailed by critics as even greater than that of "The Story of Louise Pasteur," which won for him the Motion Picture Academy award for the best performance in 1936.

The picture tells the story of the entire career of Zola. First he is seen as a struggling young writer, sometimes obliged to pawn even his shirt for bread. Then he meets the girl of the streets, played by Erin O'Brien-Moore, whose life he depicts in a novel that earns him enormous sums and lifts him to international fame.

But most of the story has to do with Zola's courageous defense of Capt. Alfred Dreyfus, the army officer who was framed on a false charge of selling secrets to Germany, and who was sent to the horrors of Devil's Island. The cast includes Joseph Schildkraut, Fale Sondergaard, Gloria Holden, Henry O'Neill, Louise Calhern and others.

The boldest adventure a British secret agent ever faced, impersonating an officer in the German high command, forced to gamble on the love of a woman whose business was betrayal, with the opportunity to strike the deadliest blow of the great war if he lived, is the theme of the suspenseful espionage drama, "Lancer Spy," second attraction on the program.

Revealing with jolting realism an untold chapter in the World war, "Lancer Spy" is brought to vivid life by the acting discovery of the year, George Sanders. Others in the cast include Virginia Field and Sig Rumann.

Short subjects include an Our Gang comedy and World News.

WESTERN FILM, ROMANCE END

Ardent Tyrone Power and lovely Loretta Young kiss impulsively under the Miami moon and their love is news again in their latest romantic comedy, "Second Honeymoon," which shows for the last time tonight at the Broadway theater with the western, "Texas Trail."

In a smart and modern manner, Tyrone and Loretta make merry in the "marry-est" romance of the year in "Second Honeymoon."

"Texas Trail" is the latest in the popular series of Hopalong Cassidy western adventure films. The picture, which shows a hard-riding bunch of gunfighters and their efforts to round up a herd of wild horses for the government during the Spanish-American war, only to be hijacked after their herd is complete, stars William Boyd and features a splendid supporting cast headed by George Hayes, Russell Hayden, Judith Allen and Billy King.

Hollywood Sights and Sounds

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD.—The good old agriculture principle of "crop diversification" — applied to movies — is lengthening the life span of the stars.

They used to say that a movie star's "average life" was five years, and it was true. Today, it's nearer 10. And more if you count that pre-starring period in every star's life during which the spot-light, and the coin, is almost as bright.

Clark Gable's been prominent, although not always a star, nearly seven years. Constance Bennett, not counting her early silent venture, has been a star in talkies for eight. Ronald Colman made his first hit 14 years ago. Claudette Colbert, after two featured years, began to click big in 1932. Gary Cooper was already big in the silent, achieved starring status eight years ago. Carole Lombard, Ginger Rogers, Irene Dunne, Norma Shearer, Fredric March, Wally Beery, Warner Baxter—the majority of today's stars, were stars or at least well known in 1930. Misses Lombard, Rogers and Dunne did not hit starring stride until later, but the real movie fans knew them seven years ago.

That doesn't add up to an average of eight years, but most of those mentioned have several years to go before they can be considered "washed up." And it's diversification that does it.

TEAMS GROW STALE

Irene Dunne does a comedy like "The Awful Truth" but pretty soon she'll be in something serious again. Gable's unfortunate appearance in "Parnell" whets the fan appetite for tidbit like "Saratoga." Gary Cooper does an heroic tour de force in "The Plainsman," which contrasts sharply with "Mr. Deeds" and "The Adventures of Marco Polo."

There's more of the same going on in the teaming business. Separating Astaire and Rogers for a time; letting Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy appear opposite other singing sweethearts; spacing the William Powell-Myrna Loy duets—that's diversification. In the silents the team of Dorothy Mackaill and Jack Mullhall was over-worked and there isn't any Mullhall-Mackaill team any more.

Maybe the producers are more discerning about such matters nowadays. Maybe the stars are more insistent on proper vehicles, although stars are notoriously poor as wagon-choosers. But more likely it's just the talkies—opening new fields for talent and person-

Muni As Zola



Paul Muni, above, is shown in a scene from the colorful and exciting drama, "The Life of Emile Zola," which opens an engagement at the Broadway theater tomorrow with "Lancer Spy," the second attraction.

Kay Francis In Satire



Preston Foster and Kay Francis are pictured above in a scene from "First Lady," highly humorous and witty satire on national politics, which opens at the West Coast theater today with a second attraction, "Love On Toast," swift-moving comedy-romance with Stella Adler and John Payne.

SANTA and the WHITE FOX

By SIGRID ARNE

Chapter 18
OUTWITTING THE FOX

While the white fox was having dinner with Helga and the sailor and the tiny squirrel, the sailor was planning to outwit the fox.

"Some are quite nice," said Helga.

"What do you know about it?" snapped the fox rudely.

That makes the sailor very angry but he kept on smiling.

"Well, fox," he said. "You say you're the fastest fox in the North. I have the fastest ice-boat. Why don't we race?"

"Fine," said the fox. "Let's do it right now."

BALLAST FOR THE BOAT

"But this is unfair," said the sailor. "I'm sure I'll win. You'll get out of breath running and my boat never does. I must put a little ballast on my boat. This doll could ride with me."

"I'll take the bright little squirrel with me," said the fox. "I like his company."

The squirrel popped out of the white fox's fur, saying, "You see, you couldn't find me."

"Oh, I could if I'd tried," said the fox. "Let's go."

The sailor had a bad moment when he saw he couldn't take the little squirrel, too. But the tiny fellow winked, hopped to the sailor's shoulder and said, "Get away, and then sneak back for me. I'll be in a holly bush where you moored your boat."

Who is it throws your words back into your mouth?

LET'S RACE!

The sailor thought, "Why, the North Wind, of course, but what has that to do with it?" Then he realized the sea shell meant he could escape from the fox in his ice-boat.

So he said to the fox:

"They tell me you can run faster than any fox in the North."

Independent Labor Bodies to Convene

LOS ANGELES. (AP)—The independent unions, those affiliated with neither the A. F. of L. or the CIO, will hold a state-wide convention here Feb. 1-3, Michael D. Fanning, chairman of the arrangements committee, said today.

Fanning, editor of the Independent Union News, said there are more than 400 such unions in California and he believes the convention will be the first of its kind to be held in this country.

CLEARED IN SHOOTING

NEW CASTLE, Pa. (AP)—Mrs. Rose Donofrio was acquitted by a jury today of a charge of murder in the death of James Allelo, her son-in-law. Mrs. Donofrio testified that she shot Allelo as he sat in his car near her home because he impaired her daughter's health.

NEW YORK.—A good picture in which she breaks down and acts, not only with eyebrows but with vigor, could change her mind. Of course, she didn't use "through" in the sense I do.

TONIGHT ENDS 3d & Bush

GEORGE MURPHY Josephine Hutchinson The Women Men Marry

STARTING SUNDAY — CONTINUOUS FROM 1 P. M.

Jane's Latest and Best Comedy

Second Popular Hit

CHARLEY CHAN ON BROADWAY

KEYE LUKE JOAN MARSH

World News

M'LAGLEN IN 'SOLDIER' YARN

In a story full of action, comedy and romance, the State theater will present Sunday, Monday and Tuesday "Professional Soldier," one of the greatest pictures ever shown to Santa Ana theatergoers in a long time. On the same program will be "West of Shanghai" starring Boris Karloff.

"Professional Soldier" is a story of a tiny European kingdom always in trouble and between kidnapping of the ruler, a romantic affair between Michael Whalen and Gloria Stewart and all of the thrills of a pictur of this type, any audience will feel well repaid for its attendance. McLaglen plays his customary type of role supported by Freddie Bartholomew and an excellent cast of stellar players.

Trapped in war-torn battlefields, Americans Gordon Oliver and Beverly Roberts anxiously await word that will bring their freedom . . . or the firing squad to shatter their love in "West of Shanghai." Boris Karloff, Hollywood's greatest makeup actor, plays the part of the killer whose double murder casts a shadow of terror over Manhattan's gayest spots in the newest of his screen adventures.

A pictorial, "Trees" is a third attraction on the program appearing at the State theater Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Mary Hampton's Column

It seems to be everywhere in the air—distracting, excitingly, fascinatingly so—this desire to strap snowy white skating shoes upon one's feet and whirl over the ice in a knee-length velvetine skirt! Or, to tie oneself to the snowy mountain peaks and whirr through the air on skis—dressed like a musical comedy star! Sonja Henie must have started all this—and now that every railroad office fills its windows with displays which sets the heart yearning—and even fashion books crowd their pages with allurement of the snow—and shops tempt us with a new sort of sports costume which any woman would want to wear—how can we be placidly contented with mere home?

And some will go! It is all made so easy, as well as tempting, that there will be nothing short of an exodus to the lands of snow, as soon as winter is well under way. And believe me, dressing is no tiny part of the fascination and the fun.

Now if it is ice-skating, there are the trickiest things to wear—not too expensive at all—and maybe, incidentally, the very thing for a Christmas gift for the growing youngsters who have

turned to ice-skating for winter's "dates."

There are the very short, circular skirts. They lend themselves both artistically and practically to the movement of skating. And there are the trick little jacket tops which look so utterly perky and keep one warm. Some are Tyrolean sweaters—some of Tyrolean vestees over sweaters—others are just smart novelties such as quilted red calico interlined with padding and bound in colored braid—or trick suede jackets—or funny little coats of gayest color and unusual materials. Caps are small and colorful and face-tious—and the mittens match. And there can be a scarf too.

The important new idea to toy with is that strict reserve is not particularly necessary in the snow costume. A peasant touch of color and caprice is very smart, and the best of accepted new taste.

A bit of vivid embroidery here, a red and green vestee—or hilarious cap and socks and mitts are part of the fun.

Address all inquiries to Mary Hampton in care of this paper. And inquiries, not answered in the columns, will be answered personally providing a fully addressed envelope with 3-cent stamp is enclosed.

PASTOR SPEAKS TO LOWELL P. T. A.

Two short dramas and a discussion by the Rev. Perry F. Schrock, pastor of the First Congregational church, on "Child Development Through the Contact of the Church," featured this week's meeting of the Lowell grammar school P. T. A. in the school auditorium.

Each of the 50 members was attired as a little boy or girl, and many amusing games were played in addition to a gift exchange.

Assisting in serving a refreshment course were Mrs. Kenneth Sutherland, Mrs. P. L. Galbreath, Mrs. James Mahoney, Mrs. R. E. Foust, and Mrs. L. A. Parsons.

PHILATHEA HAS YULE PARTY

Philathea class of the First Presbyterian church had an enjoyable Christmas party this week in the attractive new home of Mrs. Jerry Vining, 2535 Valencia street.

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Man Charged in Shotgun Slaying

LOS ANGELES. (AP)—Accused by a coroner's jury of the shotgun slaying of Tony D. Ramirez, 48, a parlor proprietor, Ernest Lee Dickey, 25, formerly of Ardmore, Okla., was held today on a murder complaint filed by the district attorney.

Charles M. Perky, taxicab driver, testified at the inquest that Dickey tried to kill his estranged wife, Bonnie, 20, also with the double barreled gun, "but it just clicked and the hammer fell off."

Community singing of Christmas carols completed the program, following which refreshments were served by a committee consisting of Mrs. Neill Mitchell, Mrs. Art Brickey, Mrs. Raymond Gibson and Mrs. Glen Scott.

TONIGHT ENDS 1:45 P. M.

ADDED—NEWSREEL POPOYE CARTOON Comedy—"Who's Who" "Secret Agent X-9" Chap. 8

STARTING SUNDAY CONTINUOUS FORM 12:45

Whatta Pair! Whatta Picture!

The romantic adventure of a boy king in a land of ice and hard boiled American pell

15c 'til 4 — O — Novelty 'TREES' — O — AND

WHAT HAPPENS AT MARIHUANA PARTIES

Road Show Attraction POSITIVELY CLOSES SUNDAY NITE

WEED WITH ROOTS IN HELL SMOKE THAT GETS IN YOUR EYES INCRIMINATE SODOMY SEAMEN DESPAIR

FIRST LADY KARLOFF IN WEST OF SHANGHAI RICARDO CORTEZ BEVERLY ROBERTS

WALKING BOSS IN MAT. PICTURE

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Alumni Dine In Initial Event

Initiating a new plan for year-long semi-formal banquets for alumni of Santa Ana Junior college residing in Southern California, about 65 former students of the junior college gathered last night in Daniger's.

Talk of former school days, classmates and their present activities filled the pleasantly informal evening. Ott Grigg, president of the Alumni association, presided as toastmaster, introducing D. K. Hammond, jaysee director, who greeted the returning alumni.

The main dining hall of Daniger's had been prepared for the party, with the long tables centered with tall red lighted tapers in gold candelabra. Gay little kewpie dolls lined the pretty tables. Following the dinner all of the group drove to San Clemente to attend the annual jaysee Christmas dance.

Included in the faculty group to welcome alumni were Mr. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. John Tessmann, Miss Lillian Dickson, Miss Mabel Whiting, Mrs. Robert Northcross, Miss Agnes Todd Miller and Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy, who also belong to the alumni group.

Otto Grigg had been assisted in planning the initial affair by Miss Violet Bartholomew, executive secretary of the association, Miss Ruth Warner, Miss Farla Nell Clayton, Miss Florence Turner, Jack Rimel, John Schrier, and Roy Wheeler. Plans were made for a similar event to take place next year, preceding the alumni Christmas dance.

JANUARY BRIDE OCCASION FOR SHOWER

That Miss Yvonne Volk is to wed Walter Marchbank early in January has been known informally for some time by her friends, but particular recognition has been given the fact this week with the first of what will be several pre-nuptial parties.

Mrs. Thomas S. Willits and Mrs. George Lowe joined as hostesses in the Costa Mesa home of the former, which was prettily decorated with flowers and Christmas touches.

Miscellaneous gifts were shown on the honoree and many enjoyable games were played by the group, composed of the Mesdames Beryl McFadden, Lois Marchbank, Isabel Snyder, Lois McCormick, Beatrice Crist, Susan Duncan, J. M. Gallagher, Katherine Sevel, Mary Hoots, Anna Fehr, Teresa Fleishner, Melissa Cunningham, Mattie Duncan, Beulah Knapke, Orrilla Snyder, Laura Turner, Marlene Berger, A. E. Williams, the hostesses, and Verna Jean Willits.

YULE PARTY ENJOYED BY SECTION

A quarter-hundred Ebell members of Sixth Household Economics section enjoyed a delightful Christmas party yesterday afternoon at the clubhouse with Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Mrs. R. E. Coulter and Mrs. S. H. Finley as their hostesses.

Luncheon was served at one large table which was beautifully decorated in the Yule motif, with a silver tree, red and silver ornamental balls, clusters of red berries on silver leaves, and tall red tapers in silver candelabra.

Participating in the gay singing and round of amusing impersonations which were given by each member were four special guests as well as the members, including Mrs. E. Butterworth, Mrs. Warren Brakeman, Mrs. L. Wharton, and Mrs. Charles Carothers.

Mrs. Jessie White presided over the affair, with Mrs. Helen Heil in charge of the program, which featured three talented young pupils of the Visel studio, Frances Gerhart, Ann Wetherell, and Mary Elizabeth Cotney.

The afternoon concluded with a gift exchange, with Mrs. Anna Smith impersonating a jolly Santa Claus and handing out the gifts from a prettily decorated Christmas tree.

PROGRAM GIVES ENJOYMENT TO JOINT MEET

Nearly 100 members of Southeast and Southwest sections of the Ladies' aid of the First Presbyterian church enjoyed a joint meeting yesterday with Mrs. A. J. Beckman and Mrs. Roy Johnson presiding over the affair.

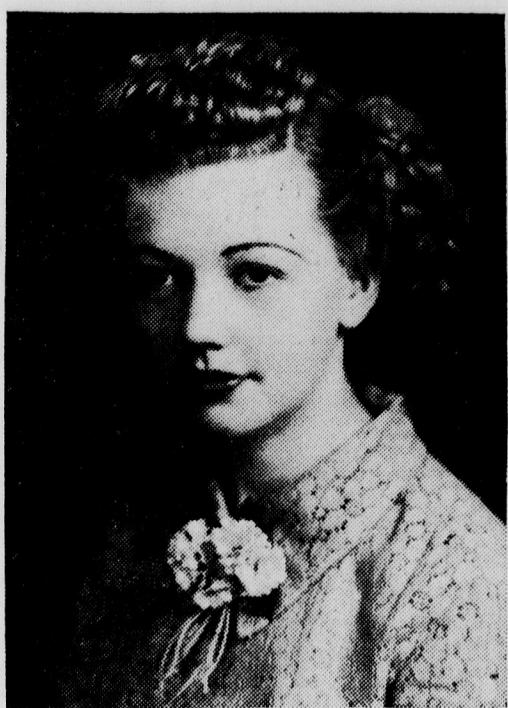
An interesting Christmas program was heard with two cellos numbers by Miss Anna Mae Archer, accompanied by Miss Betty Hellums, and a reading by Mrs. P. R. Arnold of an original play by Mrs. Frank W. Was.

Two sacred songs were sung by a junior college chorus composed of the Misses Betty Neff, Helen Wear, Dempsey Pride, Dolores Orberg, Lucille Cowan, Kathryn Dyke, Rae Langley, Eliza Hoxsie, Nina Robertson and Wanda Hunter with Miss Mary Steaver at the piano.

Refreshments from a beautifully decorated table ended the day.

Bride of Spring

An event of interest in the younger set last week was the announcement of wedding plans of Miss Lucille Stoker and John Birt, who have set their marriage date in early March.



Formal Rites Will Occur Tonight

SEVEN NEW MEMBERS JOIN ALTRUSA CLUB

Highlighted by the welcoming of seven members into the local organization, members of the Santa Ana Altrusa club met Thursday evening in Daniger's cafe for a special Christmas party and turkey dinner.

Greeted as new members at Thursday's session were Miss Marjorie Hawthorne, Miss Frances Lyles, Dr. Percy Magill, Mrs. Betty Rohrs, Mrs. Blanche Brown, Mrs. Julia Ann Hyde, and Mrs. Mabel Faulkner. With this new addition, the local chapter will be granted their charter from the international group about the first of the year.

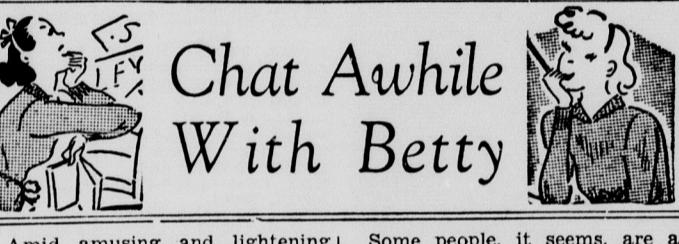
Particularly lovely was the dining-table arrangement with massive silver service and deep red roses offsetting the beauty of a lace cloth brought by the elder Mrs. Farwell from Europe when she was a girl.

Miss Farwell wore a formal gown of blue velvet with an exquisite lace collar, Mrs. Farwell, jr., was in dubonnet satin-backed crepe, and Mrs. Byron Farwell in black taffeta. All wore gardenia corsages, as did the other Los Angeles matrons who assisted them.

Working with her to make the affair a success are Miss Rowena Newcomb, who with the assistance of Mrs. John Lacy Taylor, will supervise the games; Mrs. W. S. Fritchier, who is in charge of an entertainment program; Mrs. L. H. Davison, who is arranging the refreshment course; Miss Helen Tietjen, who has supervised the purchasing of a gift for each child.

Mrs. Burlew has asked that reservations be made with her by the 23rd, in order that each child may be well prepared for.

Chat Awhile With Betty



Some people, it seems, are always destined to be the object of observation on the part of a columnist.

But it was really funny.

Dignified President R. B. Newcomer in introducing visiting dignitaries, went ceremoniously down the line of the speaker's table—"Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy of the Rotary club" (who rose and bowed)—"Mr. and Mrs. Manley Nelson of the Civitan club" (who did likewise)—"Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harwood of the Lions club" (and of course they did, too)—and 'Mr. and Mrs. John Knox of the Twenty-Thirty club"—and poor bachelor Johnny Knox and his pretty guest Florence Turner, rose bowed, blushed, and subsided.

Apologies followed, but the damage was done—cause I was there, poor chickie! • • •

Pardon—that couldn't be suppressed. The afore-mentioned fun started when Helen Swanner pulled that famous gag—act of hers, and came loping in with buck teeth, straggling hair, hideous clothes and a leering, fawning attitude that had the audience of 200 strong simply convulsed. Funny part of it was that only the few in the know really recognized Helen, who is in real life a beauty. And then Earl Abbey was given a coy little doghouse, with all sorts of things inferred—ditto Ernie Layton and a cake of Life Buoy—and the Hon. High Sheriff and a little specialist number—and "Pop" Hill a miniature GAS range. • • •

All the youngsters are due home from college this weekend—Patty Rapp, Helen Andrews, Caro Cogan, Barbara Cox, Elizabeth Rasch, Margaret Acken, Betty Little, Mary Lacky, Bob Bartlett, Walt Clemens, Robert Adams, Billie Armstrong, Ernest Barnes, Spencer Browning, Donald Balzer, Archie Cruzen.

Janice Campbell, Eleanore Case, Eugene Fuller, Ira Marie Fuller, Glenna Jean Foster, Virginia Fley, Fern Francis, Henrietta Grisett, Stella Jean Hoover, Janet Harbour, Lawrence Hart, David Matson, Mat Nisson, Virginia Rich, Tommie Sheldon, Margaret Sharpless.

Lawrence West, Barbara Young, Don Yniques, Alberta Pollard, Emily Mitchell, Barbara Cox, Jimmy Thayer, Ralph Winckler, Ruth Allison, Doris Brown, Mary Louise Lane, Olive Pique, Max Sagraves, John Prescott, Gerald Ulm, Jack Latham, Ralph Gullage, Forest Menzie, and Dick Kendall.

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Teachers of Roosevelt school honoring their principal, Miss Verna E. Wells. The table was lovely with a crystal bowl of lovely Nandina berries and hurricane lamps with red candles.

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YOUNGSTER IS FETE INCENTIVE

Mrs. Bryon Fenley gave a different sort of birthday celebration for her little son, Steven Fenley, on his first birthday anniversary Thursday when she invited all the baby's relatives and a few older friends to her Newport Heights home to enjoy a party.

Many toys were brought the little fellow, and refreshments were served at a table decorated with a pretty miniature Christmas tree and a birthday cake with one lone candle.

Present were Arnold and Rosella Fenley, Mrs. L. J. Fenley, Mrs. W. Stone, Mrs. Carl Crafts, Mrs. W. Graves, Mrs. A. E. Stevens, Mrs. D. Fenley, and Mrs. Guy Thorhill.

ANGNES PLAN GAY WEEK-END

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Angne, 701 Hickory street, will be guests this evening at a dinner to be given by Prof. and Mrs. J. G. Goodsell in their Pasadena home.

The Angnes will spend the week-end in Los Angeles, and when they return they will bring Mrs. Angne's father, Dr. J. H. Jefferson, home with them for a week's visit.

The Datebook

TONIGHT

International Typographical union and auxiliary banquet, M. W. A. hall, 6:30 p. m.

Delta Theta Chi Christmas dance, Lake Norconian club, 9 p. m.

TOMORROW

Las Meninas annual Christmas tea, 1801 Bush street, 3 p. m.

Buffet supper, Santa Ana Country club, 5:30 p. m.

MONDAY

Stanford club, Rossmore cafe, noon.

Julia Lathrop branch public library, open 9 a. m. to 6 p. m., 7 p. m. to 9 p. m.

Santa Ana Business and Professional Women, Doris Kathryn Tea shoppe, 6 p. m.

Radio Service club, Green Cat cafe, 7 p. m.

Otterbein brotherhood, United Brethren church, 7 p. m.

Native Sons of Golden West, K. of C. hall, 7:30 p. m.

Boat 'n' Spur club, Meadowlark stables, 7:30 p. m.

Loyal Order of Moose, Moose hall, 8 p. m.

Orange County Central Labor council, Labor Temple, 8 p. m.

Hermosa chapter, O. E. S., Masonic Temple, 8 p. m.

Ebell Lives and Times section, 2040 North Flower street, 8 p. m.

Happy Birthday

Today The Journal congratulates the following on the anniversary of their birthdays:

MISS ADDIE B. WILLIAMS, 714 East Third street.

MISS JOANNE HOCKADAY, 2025 North Broadway.

And for tomorrow to:

MISS MARGERY BUTTON, 1617½ Spurgeon street.

BARBARA CAIN, 621 West Eighth street.

BEVERLY NICKS, 317 Wakeham street.

MARIE FARNSWORTH, Newport road, Tustin.

Monday

Dial Lites

9:15-KNX, Edwin C. Hill in "You're Welcome."

10:45-KVOE, Merry-makers

11:30-KNX, American School of the Air

1:15-KFCA, Club Matinee

1:30-KFCA, Radio University

4:45-KNX, Dr. Allan E. Dafe

5:00-KVOE, Johnson Family

2:30-KNX, Karmen News Through a Woman's Eyes

3:00-KVOE, Feminine

3:00-KNX, H. Phillips

3:30-KFI, Woman's Magazine of the Air

4:30-KFI, Woman's Forum

7 A. M.

KVOE, Spanish Program

KFBI, Breakfast Club

KEHE, Musical Clock

KFBI, Time Keeper

KNX, Sunrise Salute

KFCA, Spanish Program

KECA, Sweethearts, N

7:15-KCEA, Vaughn de Leath N

7:30-KFCA, Bennett, Wolf's

KFBI, Church Quar. Hour

KHJ, News

KFBI, Stock Quotations

KFBI, Health Talk

KECA, Mildred Lager

8 A. M.

KVOE, Reminiscing

KFBI, Photo Service

KEHE, News by Air

KFBI, Groom Club

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KFBI, Gene and Hobart

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KEHE, Martin Thomas

KFBI, Health Talk

KNX, Mary McBride, C

KFCA, Planets

KVOE, This is for Thought

8:30-KFCA, News

KVOE, Monitor News

KFBI, Gospel Singer, N

KFCA, Photo Service

KNX, Ma Perkins, T

KFCA, Music News

KECA, Originalities, C

9 A. M.

KVOE, Sycamore Street, D

KFBI, Health Talk

KNX, Mary McBride, C

KFCA, Planets

KVOE, This is for Thought

8:30-KFCA, News

KVOE, Gordon Fleming

KFBI, David Harum, T

CLUB MEETS IN SEAVER HOME

Mrs. R. H. Seaver, 2421 Valencia street, was hostess last evening at a charming and informal Christmas party complimenting members of her bridge club.

Red and white decorations were carried out cleverly in the home, adding to the Christmassy effect of the lighted tree. A dessert course was served late in the evening following a gift exchange and bridge game.

Joining Mr. and Mrs. Seaver were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pranke, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Whisenall and Mr. and Mrs. Guy H. Grigg.

SECOND TRAVEL

Second Travel section of Ebell will have its regular luncheon Monday combined with a Christmas party at 12:30 p. m. at the clubhouse. Those unable to attend are asked to notify one of the hostesses, Mrs. Theo Winbiger, Mrs. M. C. Williams, and Mrs. N. Zerman.

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KVOE

Notes of interest for the local audience. These program notes are in addition to the Mutual Network Features over KVOE commented on above in The Ebell section.

Remember The Journal broadcasts News every day at 8:30 a. m.; 12:30 p. m.; 8:30 p. m.; Chat with Betty, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and 11:30 a. m.

CELEBRITIES JOIN IN SPECIAL MUTUAL AWARD CELEBRATION PROGRAM

Frank Fay, of stage, screen and radio fame, returns to the airwaves after an absence of one year to be master of ceremonies for a special Mutual Broadcasting system transcontinental program originating in the Don Lee studios, Los Angeles, from 5:30 to 6:30 tomorrow evening, and to be heard on KVOE.

The program, designed as KJH's celebration over the presentation of a plaque award for best showmanship in radio during 1937, will bring a parade of notables of screen, stage, radio and music to the microphone for the one hour. Lewis Allen Weiss, general manager of the Mutual-Don Lee network, will receive the plaque on behalf of KJH. The plaque is the national award from Variety for best showmanship in radio for the year.

The cavalcade of notables and groups which the presentation program will bring to the air will include, besides Fay, Mischa Russeil, concert violinist; three orchestra conductors, Carlton Kelley, Frederick Stark and Lou Bring; Frances Hunt, Universal film star; Kenny Alen, film tenor; the "Playboys" quartet; Sherman T. Walker's nationally famous negro choir of 35 voices, and the King's Trumpeters.

Also included in the microphone parade will be Hal Berger of "The In-Bounds"; Emerson Tracy and Gay Seabrook of "This Side of Twenty"; Hal Styles, producer of "Help Thy Neighbor"; Frank Bull, noted sportscaster, and Norman Nesbitt, news commentator of the Mutual-Don Lee network.

The influence of the Christmas spirit is felt in the concerts in several of the famous works of the masters scheduled on the program. These include the "Christmas Oratorio" by Bach and "Dance of the Angels" from "The New Life" by Wolf-Ferrari.

Other selections to be heard will be Schubert's Symphony No. 8 in B Minor (unfinished); Rubinstein's Ballet Music and Wedding March from "Fermor's," and Massenet's Suite, "Les Erynnies."

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Benny To "Fleece" Rival

By TOM E. DANSON

• Hoping to sell his Maxwell to Fred Allen when he visits his deadly rival Dec. 22, Jack Benny, aided by Mary Livingstone, will re-furnish and redecorate his antique car during its Hollywood broadcast tomorrow, from 8:30 to 9 p. m., over KFBI.

Neither Fred Allen nor Port Hoffa is expected to recognize the old Tom E. Danson Maxwell when it is finished. Mary Livingstone and Kenny Baker will don chintz cushions and cut window curtains, Phil Harris will lend a radiator ornament, and Don Wilson will contribute a few colorful touches.

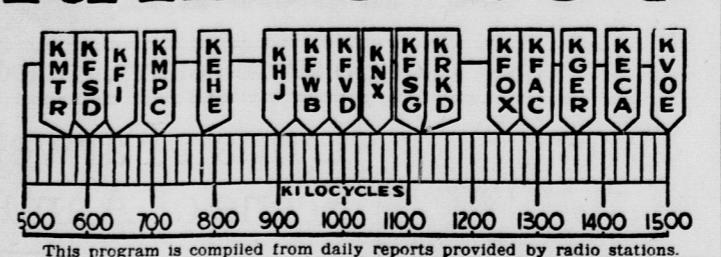
• The fifth of a series of popular concerts by the great Chicago Symphony orchestra, under the baton of Dr. Frederick Stock, will be presented tonight in Orchestra hall, Chicago, and broadcast exclusively over the Mutual network from coast to coast from 7 to approximately 8:15 p. m., to be heard locally on KVOE.

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N—National, C—Columbia, M—Mutual, D—Don Lee, T—Transcription

1:45 KFWB, LeRoy

KPOX, Planets Speak

KECA, Ranch Boys, N

5:00 KVOE, Adventures, Dr. Marion Tally, N

KEHE, Packers vs. Bulbuls

KFWB, Park Concert

KNX, Silver Theater, C

KFCA, Opera Auditions, N

2:15 KFWB, Romance in Travel

3:45 KVOE, Organ of Your Life N

KNX, Dr. Christian, C

THE MOUNTAIN BOYS



By PAUL WEBB



ONLY WHAT THE CABIN'S ON-ABOUT A ACRE AN'A HALF AH RECKON- WHY?

HE DON'T OWNER STAND ERABOUT SUCH THINGS LEM AINT NO USE TALKIN' TO A IDIOT.



FRITZI RITZ

IT'S FROM LORD PLUSHBOTTOM... HE'S COMING HOME ON THE MIDNIGHT TRAIN, ALONE.

ALONE?

HUMA-HE SAYS: "LADY PLUSHBOTTOM HAS BEEN LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN."

WHAT'A WAH, WILLY- WILLY YOU DON'T HAVE TO EVER WORRY ABOUT ME.

NAW-NOBODY'D NEVER STEAL YOU, SUGAR.

By ERNIE BUSHMILLER

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

By JOHN HIX



GARDEN OF EDEN, N.S., IS LOCATED ON EDEN LAKE, AT THE FOOT OF MOUNT ADAM!

"TINY" SKELETON, LOS ANGELES, WEIGHS 220 POUNDS! (He drives a midget auto)

"TRAGEDY" LITERALLY MEANS "SONG OF THE GOAT" - ONCE WORE GOAT SKINS!

ARMED REFEREE . . .

No doubt many present day prize-fight referees have cause to envy the position of Wyatt Earp, famous southwestern character, who was called upon to referee the Bob Fitzsimmons-Tom Sharkey fight of Dec. 2, 1896.

Earp, strange as it seems, en-

tered the ring at San Francisco armed with a six-shooter! It is generally regarded to-day that Earp must have known the fight in San Francisco's National Athletic club was "fixed."

The gunman was almost totally unfamiliar with rules of the ring, but what he lacked in this manner he made up in nerve and shrewd-

ness. The heavyweight fight proceeded smoothly through the first few rounds, and Fitzsimmons had every edge over his opponent. However, in the eighth round, Sharkey danced around to a position where sports writers could not see what was happening and permitted "Fitz" to sock him squarely in the stomach.

THE GAY THIRTIES

By HANK BARROW



JOE PALOOKA

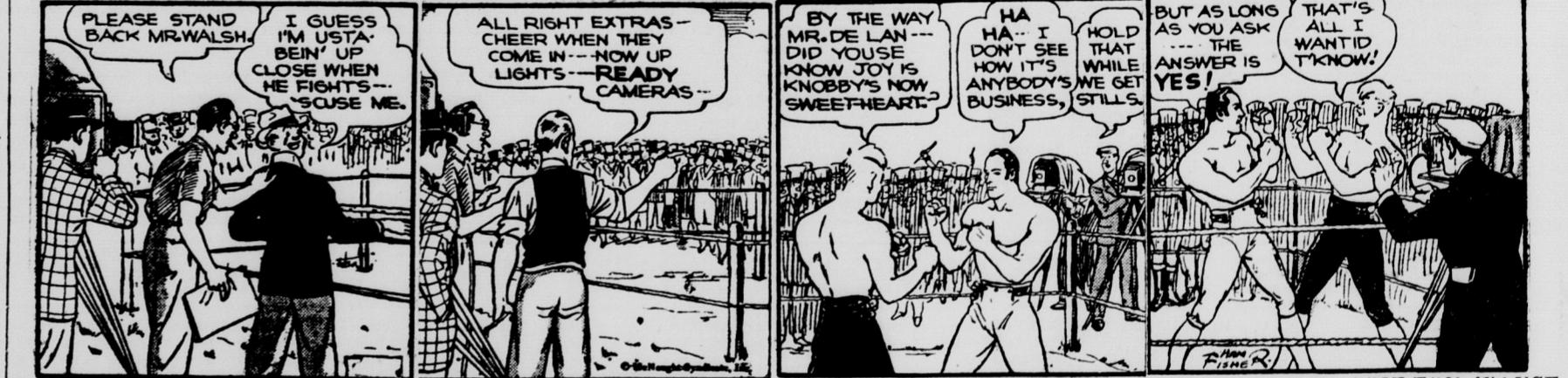
NANCY ASKED ABOUT JOINING AGAIN TODAY--ANYBODY IN FAVOR OF IT?

NO---SHE'S NOT OUR TYPE--SHE'D JUST BE A WET BLANKET!

WET BLANKET EH?

FIRE HOSE

By ERNIE BUSHMILLER



ALL RIGHT EXTRAS-CHEER WHEN THEY COME IN--NOW UP LIGHTS-READY CAMERAS...

BY THE WAY MR. DE LAN---DID YOUSE KNOW JOY IS KNOBBY'S NOW SWEETHEART?

HA--I DON'T SEE HOW IT'S ANYBODY'S WE GET BUSINESS, STILLS,

BUT AS LONG AS YOU ASK THE ANSWER IS YES!

THAT'S ALL I WANTED T'KNOW!

By HAM FISHER



I'M NOT LIKELY TO FORGET!--THE FIRST PLACE I VISIT IN LITTLE FING IS GOING TO BE THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE!

GEE, I CAN'T GET ANY KICK OUTA ANYTHING TILL I FIND OUT ABOUT THAT GAL!

C'MON, LET'S RUN!

By COULTON WAUGH

OH, DIANA-



BUT YA DON'T UNDERSTAND, POPS! TH' TEN BUCKS IS JIST TH' DOWN PAYMENT.

OH, YEAH?? AND I S'POSE I'D GET STUCK WITH ALL TH' REST OF TH' PAYMENTS, TOO!

RIGHT AFTER CHRISTMAS THEY'LL COME AND TAKE TH' RING BACK.

By DON FLOWERS

OAKY DOAKS-



IF I THROW A NICKEL IN THE WATER, WILL YOU DIVE FOR IT?

OH--A BIG SPENDER, EH? YES, I'LL DIVE FOR IT.

SHE IS A MERMAID!

By R. B. FULLER



SCORCHY!

GUESSED I PAINTED ON YOU--IS BUD'S LEG--?

BUSTED, SIS--I COULD HARDLY MOVE--

NO BUD--IT'S NOT BROKEN--BUT IT IS SEVERELY BRUISED AND CUT--WE'VE GOT TO GUARD AGAINST INFECTION--

By BERT CHRISTMAN



GEE! ONLY A WEEK TILL CHRIS'MAS

GEE! ONLY A WEEK TILL CHRIS'MAS

WELL--GEE! ONLY A WEEK TILL CHRIS'MAS!

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

If a man speaks or acts with pure thought, happiness follows him like a shadow that never leaves him.—Buddha.

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FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING

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Open Letter to the Sheriff

Dear Sheriff:

According to the public prints (we mean newspapers) you have been considering for two weeks or more suing The Journal.

The said public prints for a period chronicled your daily "conferences" with lawyers and your frequently expressed determination to make this newspaper eat its words concerning county fee matters.

At length, you served upon us a demand for a retraction "pursuant to section 48a of the civil code of the State of California." Somewhat raucously we responded, "Nerts" and declined to withdraw a syllable.

Now, Sheriff, why not go ahead and sue? The public might enjoy it.

As the principal witness, you of course would be given the fullest opportunity on the stand in superior court to tell all you know about the fees enjoyed by your office.

You probably would have a chance to answer some of the questions recently asked you by The Journal, but which you received with a vast and significant silence. Just in case you don't recall them, here they are again:

(1) Why is it you are trying so hard to "shush down" public discussion of the county fee matter?

(2) Why is it you are so sensitive on the subject of fees collected by yourself?

(3) Is there any good reason why the whole fee situation shouldn't be opened to public scrutiny? After all, Mr. Sheriff, it is the public, you know, that pays the fees, some of which you keep in your officials pocket.

(4) You volunteered recently under some pressure, did you not, to tell the grand jury about your own fees? Did you tell? But why lay these facts before a secret body? Instead, why not tell all the taxpayers?

(5) Is it true, as has been reported, that, including your salary of \$2892 AND the fees, you have been drawing down some \$15,000 to \$20,000 a year? If not this amount, how much?

(6) California pays its governor \$10,000 a year for his services; our United States senators and congressmen draw \$10,000, cabinet members \$15,000. J. Edgar Hoover, who also is a pretty fair peace officer, works for \$10,000; the supreme court associate justices \$20,000, and the chief justice \$20,500. That seems to put you right up tops in pretty fast company. Just on what process of reasoning should Orange county people pay their sheriff so much? Do you honestly believe you are worth it? That any man in that job would be worth it?

(7) Do you happen to know that practically all of California's other 57 counties have abolished the fee system? Can you imagine why? Are they all out of step? Or, have we here just been unfortunate to perpetuate an obsolete and much abused practice?

(8) The fee collection and pocketing may all be very legal; we'll presume it is. Nevertheless, Mr. Sheriff, is it legal or no, IS IT SOUND PUBLIC POLICY? Is it equitable? Is it sound? Is it sensible? If it isn't why do you go on taking the fees? Why not turn them back to the public treasury even though technically you are entitled to keep them?

If you answer these questions and others like them in court, Sheriff, we'll agree to print a full report of the whole proceedings, and we feel certain that other Orange county newspapers which aren't gagged by a "shush-shush" policy would do their duty in letting the public in on the secret.

Then, perhaps, it wouldn't be necessary to bother the grand jury anymore about the subject.

Congressional reaction to the Panay incident hasn't yet turned into a Democratic-Republican campaign issue, which is a good sign.

Closer to Our Neighbors

Nothing is more favorable to community goodwill and business interchange than good roads.

History of Santa Ana as a shopping center proves this statement. Our connection with Westminster, Orange, Midway City, Tustin, Anaheim, Fullerton, Costa Mesa, Newport-Balboa, and many other towns by means of smooth, direct highways has benefitted all concerned.

There are still some rich, busy spots in the county, however, which are linked with Santa Ana only by round-about zig-zag arterials.

These points include Garden Grove and Stanton, two thriving nearby communities.



Several years ago, enterprising leaders proposed that Century boulevard be extended just south of and parallel to the Pacific Electric tracks which now join the two towns to Santa Ana.

Part of Century boulevard was acquired and constructed. But great gaps separate the various portions of the road today, and it is still unusable by automobile traffic.

Century boulevard would shorten the distance to Garden Grove three-fourths of a mile and to Stanton more than two miles.

Santa Ana's good roads program should include the completion of Century boulevard—as shown on the map—to Garden Grove and Stanton.

The dog that was left a trust fund of \$10,000 can expect a whole procession of gilt edged bone and biscuit salesmen.

FAIR Enough

Gene Fowler
No Mixup of
Clown, Poet

By
Westbrook
Pegler

Our cafe literati have been trying to create a character for Mr. Gene Fowler, the book writer and moving picture scenarioist, consisting of Francois Villon, Rabelais and Rube Waddell in equal parts.

Mr. Fowler is said to have waved a royal purple limousine which had been sent to meet him on his arrival in Hollywood and to have insisted on a bicycle instead. He is said to have demanded a clause in his contract providing that he be docked for days when he does not work, and he is given credit for the composition of some ribald poems which will live forever.

Mr. Fowler, told me a few weeks ago that he does not enjoy this reputation, but you know how it is with a kid in school who finds that he can make the other kids laugh. Irresistibly he is drawn into the role of cut-up, and presently he is bringing home bad marks in deportment as the price of a few laughs.

I am not sure about the limousine-bicycle incident, but it was too studied and mechanical to be funny if it did happen, and any eccentricities in Gene's contract may be less funny than shrewd when examined carefully, because Agnes Fowler's mother did not raise any foolish children, and Agnes has always been Mr. Fowler's business office.

WHO SAID POETRY?

As for the mischievous verse. I have read most of it and found it hardly worth comparing to the works in similar vein which are credited to Eugene Field and James Whitcomb Riley and which even now have lived longer than Gene's will.

I have known Mr. Fowler about 20 years in the role of reporter, sports writer, newspaper editor, novelist, biographer and moving picture writer, and though he undoubtedly does have his moments of roughness, he is no part-Villon, Rabelais or Rube Waddell.

He has always worked very hard, earned good money, and saved a portion of it, and I will make you a little bit that his stock today is as high as that of any other man of similar earnings and responsibilities.

He has written much verse spontaneously, but the best thing of the kind that he ever did was not dirty but a solemn poem which he really dashed off on an old-fashioned side-winding typewriter in the office of the old Morning Telegraph (where Jack Dempsey's restaurant is now) as Tex Rickard lay in state with Madam Square Garden, across the street.

"BOOM" WENT BASKET

Gene had worked for Tex as press agent, and in one of his really hilarious moments, a few months before, had scared him out of his wits by substituting flashlight powder for some other powder, a patent fire-extinguisher which Tex had bought for an inventor. Tex liked to demonstrate the invention by igniting the papers in his waste basket and putting out the fire, and on the day that I speak of the waste basket blew up with a boom that would have shattered the windows if they had been open.

We sat in the balcony watching the morbid crowd go past Rickard's bronze box mounted on the spot where the ring was pitched on fight nights and at dusk went across to the office, where, in about an hour, Gene produced a beautiful poem which thrashed like the belly notes of a pipe organ.

Another night, when the Rev. John Roach Stratton, the reformer, was arrested by a country constable, on suspicion of being a bootlegger, Gene rattled off a gay, impudent parody on the "Midnight Ride of Paul Revere," in which, I recall, he referred to "every overseen village and farm." He ran it on page 1 next morning.

BUT LOTS OF FUN

It was a great shop when he was editor, with no discipline, no editorial rules and no policy but that the staff should have a good time. We picked our own assignments, and some days we would have four or five signed pieces on the same story. It was too much fun to last long.

All of us drank more or less, but Gene drank less, largely out of respect, I think, for an admonition by Damon Runyon, who had said to him, "I have known a hundred guys who have no right to drink anything any time. I am one of them and you are the other 99."

My reason for going on this way is that I see an attempt to make a certain sort of tradition of a man who is a diligent worker and one of our first-class writers. A man can pull himself out of shape if he tries to fit himself to a character designed for him by people who know him only superficially, whether it be the character of a good-time Charlie, a village cut-up or one of those gentle bores usually described as just the sweetest soul that ever lived. I know at least

six of that kind, and they are a pain in the neck.

So that is the kind of people Gene Fowler ain't and the kind he really is. Now set them up in the other alley.

Don't forget the flea powder.

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AHA!

What is the only piece of fire apparatus which isn't allowed on a one-way street?

The answer: "A fireboat."

—Rockefeller Center Weekly.

EVERYDAY MOVIES



By Denys Wortman

The Mailbag

Public opinion, or what somebody in office imagines to be public opinion, is our ruler. If public opinion is active, it is powerful, and it sits and takes notice. There is a definite need for outspoken talking and talking on public matters. Home interest and discussion in our problem is immensely useful. So that every citizen may have his say and contribute to the formation of public opinion, The Journal invites letters to The Mailbag.

SURPRISE!

To the Editor: Particularly in these times, one would imagine that when mothers and fathers witness the play of their children there would be much more enjoyment if the toys carried no suggestion of ugly warfare. Parents should begin to cooperate toward taking the initiative in making it non-profitable for stores to carry warlike toys.

Just recently a small boy was taken through the toy department of a large department store where a ticket entitling him to a "surprise package" was purchased for him. He walked eagerly up to where a fairy-costumed young lady stood in attendance of the surprise packages from which the surprise packages emerged. The fairy lady greeted him sweetly and after a moment of winning conversation regarding Christmas, handed him his surprise package. Upon opening the little package, lo and behold! He discovered that the gift of the "good fairy" was a half dozen toy American soldiers with guns and a wisp of an American flag. And a additional surprise to this particular war-like toy was "made in Japan."

What Other Editors Say

IN NEW ENGLAND

The Boston saying that the Lowell talk only to the Cabots and the Cabots talk only to God has to be revised. Our Cabot Senator Henry Cabot Lodge just talks to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. And he has just told them that labor must depend on collective bargaining to gain security for itself and a fair share of the national income.

"There is no reason," says this grandson of the old conservative Senator Lodge, "why in this country, with our resources, there should not be a good life for everyone, with security against old age, sickness and unemployment. To me these questions are more important than those of party lines."

We offer our readers this strange, liberal blossom out of the old Back Bay conservatory with a trembling hand. The brownstones on Commonwealth avenue must be quivering from roof to attic. Something remarkable is happening in the Republic when the challenge of certain reactionary industrialists of the parvenu Middle West comes out of the parlors of 'way down East.—New York Post.

OLD TIMER FARES FORTH

Fred Lundin, who once ruled Chicago along with Big Bill Thompson, came out of Long retirement the other day to give some advice to the Young Republicans of Cook county.

"Don't criticize unless you have a substitute to offer," he said, and then proceeded to launch his own substitute for the New Deal.

Point No. 1 was, "No entangling alliances," which has been up for discussion since the time of Washington.

Point No. 2 was, "Old-age pension payments," which we now have and which must be reformed instead of continued on the present basis.

Point No. 3 was, "A better deal" through a high protective tariff, the merits and demerits of which have been debated for more than a century.

Point No. 4 was, "Equality of taxation"—an ideal which has occupied some of the best minds of the country for a generation.

And that is that. We are now able to cross Mr. Lundin off the list of possible guides through the uncertain future, and he may return to the shadows from which he momentarily merged.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Remarkable Remarks

Taxation of capital is reaching the point where it is but a few steps ahead of confiscation, and we all know what that means.—William S. Knudson, president, General Motors corporation.

I note that the countries that war most easily are those whose life is not too enticing and there is really nothing much to pre-serve.—Mrs. Franklin Roosevelt, in a speech in Cleveland, O.

They were talking in the smoky better dinner about a certain person without apparent qualifications being chosen for a high position in the political world.

One prosperous looking Chicagoan observed: "How frequently such positions seem to be filled by the eenie, meenie, moe method." It reminded him of the church choir in which he sang when a boy. The voices were all about the same, but the biggest boy was assigned to the bass, the prettiest girl always sang soprano and the less glamorous sister got the alto role. There are a lot of inefficient people thus "moe'd" into jobs, he thought. Indeed I feel rather "eenie" myself at times.

We have never heard who could shout "Board" with that quick and piercing up-take like a conductor. It is one of the cheerios of railroading.

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WHIMSIERS

DAY
BY
DAY
With
O. O.
McINTYRE

NEW YORK.—This column is being scribbled on a pad during a sleep-jump from Chicago. One of those hobbleskoy skip-jack things to fit in with the lurches of the train. I'm propped up against mountainous pillows and out the window whirs a shadowy world of arabesques.

Nothing is more stimulating to me than the clickety-clack of train wheels in the night. And I know no other who relishes the aroma of train smoke. There is zest, too, in gliding under the shed of a depot in a strange city, hesitating a moment and roaring on.

Something marks the railroad and depot employees. They seem to live always on the brink of adventure. I've even envied the lonely station master hunched over his telegraph instrument as we flashed by some isolated out-post. His very next moment may be packed with drama.

Another tingle for me on a train is the lighted diner at the evening meal. All of us strain not to appear self-conscious as we study one another covertly between bites. Generally we can spot the newly-weds. Their off-hand casualness is entirely too studied.

One thing that always tastes better on trains and usually spangled every diner menu is those little stuffed pickles disguised impaled on toothpicks, called gherkins. Gustatory memories: the grilled pompano on the New Orleans specials. The mountain trout in the high country of Colorado. The peaches in cream in Georgia and the Carolinas during the season. And the wilted lettuce salad with Gruyere on the boat trains to Paris.

George Ade in one of his parades stopped many from calling Pullman porters George. My tag is Doc. To me the porter can make or ruin a trip. Most of us are fretful, journeying and count much on the little gesture—the extra pillow, the prompt serving of table water and the prompt making up of berth. I employ the